

Champions' Limousin Sale Set Sept. 2

Chattanooga, Okla. — The Wiggins Ranch Company "Service of Champions" Limousin Sale will be held Saturday, Sept. 2, 1978. Sale time is 1 p.m. at the Coyote Hills Ranch at Chattanooga, Okla.

The sale offering will feature a tremendous group of fullblood and percentage cattle including 4 fullblood and 2 American purebred herd bull prospects. Also selling will be 10 fullblood cows, 4 open fullblood heifers, 17 open American purebreds, and 11 open American purebreds. Percentage cattle in this offering includes 15 - 75% cows with 87% calves, 16 bred 75% cows, 3 - 50% cows with 75% calves, 12 black 75% cows with 87% calves and 16 black bred 75% cows.

This sale will feature the service of two National Champion Limousin bulls as well as the get of other outstanding Limousin bulls in the Wiggins Ranch herd.

Sale headquarters will be the Montego Bay, Lawton, Okla., 405/853-0200. A pre-sale party is set for Friday evening at 7 p.m., September 1, 1978 at the Coyote Hills Ranch at Chattanooga, Okla.

Auctioneers will be C. K. "Sonny" Booth and Bruce Brooks. For information contact American Cattle Services, Rt. 2, Chattanooga, Okla. 78528, 405/338-3008; or Wiggins Ranch Company, David Holloway, Rt. 2, Chattanooga, Okla. 78528, 405/697-2525. Wiggins Ranch Co. is headquartered at 1415 Commerce Bldg., Houston, Texas 77002, 713/224-5311.

Cattle Raisers Tell USDA How To Improve Regs

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strong, telling on a request from USDA to assist it in complying with a Presidential order to "improve regulations," wrote, "It is important that while we are reviewing the rule-making process, we do not make it more complicated, unduly burdensome or further establish a dangerous framework whereby prejudicial or biased information may be presented through subsidizing agency-desired testimony from the alleged public."

Armstrong, representing 14,000 cattle producers in Texas and surrounding states, said in no uncertain terms that "we are adamantly against release of public tax monies to pay for testimony from specific individuals or groups favorable to USDA positions." This was a direct reference to the allegations made against the ousted USDA official.

TSORA also suggested that adequate notice of future public hearings also be made through the local news media, in addition to the Federal Register, and that the hearings be held regionally through the country. In this way, the grass roots public, urban or rural, could give USDA a perspective from the point of view of those truly affected.

"We have seen in the recent past where regulations have been proposed without sufficient impact study and the cost of such proposals was impractical," Armstrong said. Beef grading changes and certain brucellosis health regulations were mentioned specifically.

Armstrong also warned against the duplication of new regulations by authorities and agencies. In reviewing existing regulations, he suggested mandatory review of all regulations every five years and in some cases every year or two.

The President's mandate for reconsideration written in Plain English, understandable to those who must comply, was wholeheartedly supported by TSORA. Simplification and trimming of excessive red tape was also advocated.

USDA said after it has reviewed and considered comments by TSORA and other groups, it will announce how it will revise its method of proposing regulations.

Hides & Offal

Des Moines, Aug. 17 (USDA) — The value of hides and offal from the average steer, based on slaughter statistics for the week ending August 15, 1978, was estimated at \$4.05 per 100 pounds live weight, compared with \$3.70 the previous week and \$3.84 a year ago.

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Wiggins Ranch Company "Service of Champions" Limousin Sale

Sat. Sept 2, 1:00 p.m.
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Once again Wiggins Ranch Co. will offer a tremendous group of fullblood and percentage cattle for your approval. Included in the offering will be 4 Fullblood and 2 American Purebred herd bull prospects representing such great sires as Gendarme, Ideal, Carnival, Fanfare and Dynamo. These young bulls are stout, rugged and ready to go to work. Also included will be 10 Fullblood cows with calves at side, 8 Bred fullblood cows, 4 Open fullblood heifers, 17 Bred American purebreds, 11 Open American Purebreds, 15 75% cows with 87% calves, 16 Bred 75% cows, 3 50% cows with 75%, 12 Black 75% cows with 87% calves and 16 Black bred 75% cows. Many of the fullblood cows offered have been stalwarts in the WRC embryo transplant program. Due to the fact that these females have been excellent producers while in transplant enables Wiggins Ranch Co. to offer them for sale.

You, as breeders, will have the opportunity to purchase the service of two National Champion Limousin bulls as well as the get of our other outstanding herd bulls.

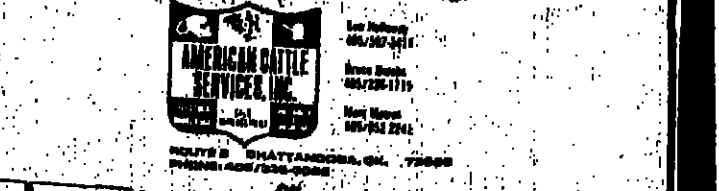
Whether in the market for herd bull prospects, fullblood or percentage pairs, or black percentage Limousin, we hope you will plan to be at the Coyote Hills Ranch, Chattanooga, Ok. Sept. 2, at 1:00 p.m.

Sale Headquarters:
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Lawton, Ok.
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Auctioneers: C.K. "Sonny" Booth & Bruce Brooks

Don't forget our "Service of Champions" pre-sale party Friday evening, Sept. 1, beginning at 7:00 p.m., at the Coyote Hills Ranch, Chattanooga, Ok.

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Agriculture Secretary Bergland Cuts Red Tape of Emergency Loans



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IS JIMMY CARTER'S ADMINISTRATION STARTING TO MOULT...

While there have already been some one time Big Wheels which excited Jimmy Carter's Official Family for one reason or another, such as Bert Lance, Dr. Rourke, Midge Costanza, et al., there seem to be rather strong indications that the usual mid-term shake-out for Official Families may be in the not too distant future for the present Administration. Rumors are flying that Treasury Secy. Blumenthal has about had it after being kicked around by the White House Staff in public and in Private and other leading lights in the Cabinet and in high positions elsewhere are reportedly ready to abandon ship.

Latest rumors have it that Joe Califano, head of HEW, is getting fed up and has been sending trial balloons aloft testing the waters as to whether he could get by with an "ultimatum" to give him a freer hand and to encourage President to stem efforts to trim his domain. Of most immediate concern to

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Feeders Open Steady At Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, Aug. 28 (USDA) — Receipts 4,000. Feeder cattle and calves generally steady. Feeder steers: choice 200-300 lb. 72.00-75.75; 300-400 lb. 71.00-75.00; 400-500 lb. 67.25-69.50; 500-600 lb. 63.50-65.00; 600-700 lb. 61.00-63.00; 700-800 lb. 58.00-60.00; 800-900 lb. 55.00-57.00; 900-1000 lb. 52.00-54.00. Mixed good and choice 300-600 lb. 62.00-65.00; few 600-800 lb. 58.00-60.00; small lot good 400 lb. at 58.00; good 483 lb. Holstein steers at 58.00; small lot 770 lb. at 48.00. Feeder heifers: prime 720-760 lb. 62.00-63.00; choice 360-485 lb. 68.10-68.80; 500-600 lb. 61.20-64.30; 600-700 lb. 60.00-63.30; 700-800 lb. 56.70-60.70; few 800-875 lb. 54.90-58.10. Mixed good and choice 400-500 lb. 50.00-64.50; 500-600 lb. 57.00-61.60; 600-700 lb. 55.00-60.00; 700-825 lb. 54.30-57.90. Feeder heifers: part load choice and prime 627 lb. 67.50; choice 600-800 lb. 62.80-66.80; 600-700 lb. 52.30-55.90; mixed good and choice 400-54.50, 600-700 lb. 51.60-53.10. Slaughter: cows: utility 1-3 34.40-37.60; cutter 31.90-33.90.

Amarillo Steady In Monday Trade

Amarillo, Aug. 28 (F.S.) — Good demand, feeder steers and heifers uneven, mostly steady. Slaughter cows steady and bulls steady to weak. Feeder steers: few part loads choice and prime 720-760 lb. 62.00-63.00; choice 360-485 lb. 68.10-68.80; 500-600 lb. 61.20-64.30; 600-700 lb. 60.00-63.30; 700-800 lb. 56.70-60.70; few 800-875 lb. 54.90-58.10. Mixed good and choice 400-500 lb. 50.00-64.50; 500-600 lb. 57.00-61.60; 600-700 lb. 55.00-60.00; 700-825 lb. 54.30-57.90. Feeder heifers: part load choice and prime 627 lb. 67.50; choice 600-800 lb. 62.80-66.80; 600-700 lb. 52.30-55.90; mixed good and choice 400-54.50, 600-700 lb. 51.60-53.10. Slaughter: cows: utility 1-3 34.40-37.60; cutter 31.90-33.90.

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San Angelo Special

San Angelo, Aug. 28 (F.S.) — Special feeder calf sale 4000. Feeder steers and heifers 1.00-2.00 higher. Steers: lots choice and prime 430-578 lb. 72.50-75.75. Choice and few prime 360-450 lb. 75.00-78.00; few 800-850 lb. 77.00-82.00.

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FmHA Authorized to Act When Disaster Confirmed, County or State Actions No Longer Needed, Time to Be Saved

Washington, Aug. 24 — Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland today gave the Farmer Home Administration (FmHA) authority to make emergency loans to farmers as soon as loss from natural disaster is confirmed.

The Secretary abolished a time-consuming system in effect for several years that required county governments and state governors to request disaster loan service, then for the Secretary to designate counties where FmHA emergency loans could be made. This course was followed when damage assessment reports indicated the need for 25 or more farm emergency loans in a county.

Under the new, less time-consuming procedure, state directors of FmHA will authorize the agency's county offices to make emergency loans to any number of farmers showing a need for emergency credit to offset substantial loss caused by storm, flood, drought or other natural disaster. State directors will act on the basis of available information including damage reports received from FmHA county offices.

FmHA emergency loan services also are automatically available where a loan for disaster or emergency has been declared by the President.

Bergland's action to cut red tape from emergency loan procedure was taken under a provision of the Agricultural Credit Act of 1979, signed by President Carter Aug. 4. A regulation to implement the new procedure was published today in the Federal Register.

FmHA emergency loans are made to farmers lacking other sources of credit for recovery from natural disaster. Beginning Oct. 1, 1978, amounts of offsetting actual loss associated with production will be made at an interest rate of 5 percent, and additional amounts of higher rates. Low rate loans also are made to restore farm dwellings lost or damaged due to natural disaster.

St. Paul fed cattle steady. Steers \$51 to \$52 and \$50 to \$51; heifers \$48.50 to \$50 and \$47 to \$48.50. Hogs steady to 25¢ higher. Steers \$51 to \$52 and \$50 to \$51; heifers \$48.50 to \$50 and \$47 to \$48.50. Hogs steady to 25¢ higher. Steers \$51 to \$52 and \$50 to \$51; heifers \$48.50 to \$50 and \$47 to \$48.50. Hogs steady to 25¢ higher.

Replacement Cattle Prices Rebounded Last Week, Feeders Lead Gains

St. Joseph, Aug. 28 (USDA) — National feeder cattle and calf receipts this week 202,900, compared with 204,800 last week and 285,000 a year ago. A decided turn-around in prices was reflected in trading for feeder cattle and calves this week in a reaction from the sharp declines recorded during the recent past weeks. Feeder buyers undertook a more aggressive

approach which was bolstered by price gains for slaughter steers and heifers. Prices on the river moved steady to 3.00 higher, instances 4.00 up while Kansas City had steers over 700 lbs. as much as 6.00 up. Generally, prices over most of the rest of the nation were steady to 3.00 higher except Kentucky was 1.00-5.00 higher while Tennessee (CONT. ON PAGE 2)

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Replacement Cattle

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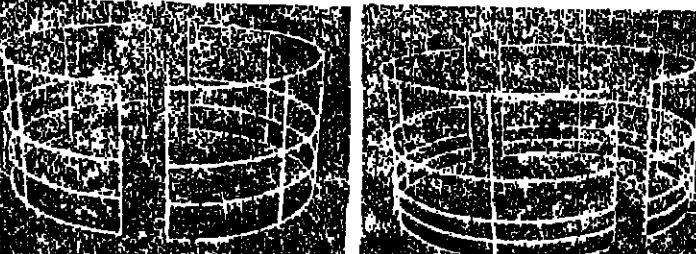


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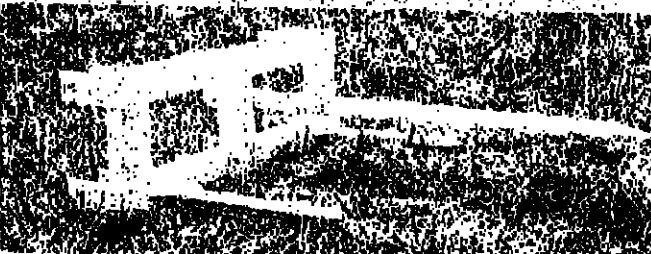
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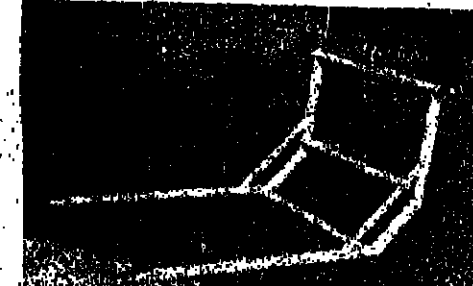


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Lick Skillet Sets

Beefmaster Dispersal

Oct. 6 In Ft. Worth

Fort Worth — Lionel W. Bevan, III, and Barney Holland, owners, will host complete dispersal of the Lick Skillet Beefmasters' herd, with guest consignments from Murray Randle Beefmasters at Granbury, beginning at 1 p.m., Friday, Oct. 6, at the Livestock Exchange Sale Arena at the Fort Worth Stockyards.

Selling will be 115 Beefmasters, including 40 pairs, most will be three-in-one packages; 30 bred

LJ Bar Beefmaster

Sets 2 Day Sale

For Sept. 8-9

Pleasanton, Texas — LJ Bar Beefmaster Ranches has set a big 2 day Beefmaster Sale for Friday, September 8 and Saturday, September 9 at the ranch at Pleasanton, Texas. Sale time is 12:00 noon both days with lunch at 11:00 a.m.

On September 8, 150 performance-tested Beefmaster bulls will sell. These bulls are all serviceable, age and fertility tested.

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For information contact LJ Bar Ranch, Leo Jasik & Sons, Rt. 1, Box 92, Pleasanton, Texas 78064, 612/393-0229; or the sale management, Bert and Ruben Reyes, 118 West Nakoma, San Antonio, Texas 78216, P. O. Box 32828, 512/349-2185.

Hides and Offal

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California are suggestions that a new Education Administration be set up and this would take one of the bigger plumbers out from under this thing. Most of the top of Social Security? Califano asked. "At present we do just that by providing substantial tax benefits for contributing to private pension plans... or would it make more sense to rework those tax benefits and apply them to more general and widespread Social Security coverage?"

Now, there you have it. Typical of the Burrocratic viewpoint. Califano and the once pallid profits of the lines are now jumpin' over the moon. Dunk says Jimmy Carter's new image-builder Gerald R. Hefson really wants to picture for the average folks like you and me. This should be dumped into the Social Security pot and then Califano, or whoever follows him at HEW, will divide it up and give you some share of what is left after the Burrocrats have enjoyed the use of it and taken the lion's share in wages, salaries and other Burrocratic perquisites.

To understand the thinking of the Califano type, you have to realize that in their view what you have does not belong to you. It belongs to the Government, which in this case is the Burrocrats, firms. While no one will argue that many private pension plans are a mess and open to serious questions, Califano would solve all these problems by this means. "Do we wish to continue to encourage private pension plans on the next week. We wish he had done it day before yesterday."

Ever thine, The Editor.

P. S.: Uncle Dunk fuggers there ain't a better argument for less Federal Reg. Airline Business. Since CAB let airlines become competitive on prices, there are more people flyin' than ever before. And the once pallid profits of the lines are now jumpin' over the moon. Dunk says Jimmy Carter's new image-builder Gerald R. Hefson really wants to picture for the average folks like you and me. This should be dumped into the Social Security pot and then Califano, or whoever follows him at HEW, will divide it up and give you some share of what is left after the Burrocrats have enjoyed the use of it and taken the lion's share in wages, salaries and other Burrocratic perquisites.

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Harry English Red Brahman Production



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"Crimson Warrior" (4/20)

"WARRIOR" BULL HEADLINES BARFIELD BEEFMASTER SALE

"Crimson Warrior" (4/20), one of the top producing, most highly proven young bulls in the history of the Beefmaster breed, will sell in Barfield Farms' "Doubleheader Beefmaster Sale" Oct. 21 at Immokalee, Fla. The purebred sale begins at 10 a.m., and the commercial sale at 2 p.m. The "Warrior", bred by Jack Dunn, Alice, Texas, was developed, tested, and proven at Barfield Farms. "Warrior's" current bull calf crop averaged 875 pounds at weaning and gained an average of 4.4 pounds a day on test while on high roughage growing ration. His current heifer calf crop averaged 615 pounds at weaning, adjusted to 305 days. His calves and cows carrying his service topped the 1977 Barfield sale and a "Warrior" heifer pair was the top selling lot at the 1978 Southeastern Beefmaster sale at Tilton, Ga. Another "Warrior" heifer pair will be featured at the Southeastern sale in Jackson, Miss., on Sept. 23.

Barfield will sell three-fourths interest and full possession of "Warrior" along with 600 ampules of semen. The quarter interest retained by Barfield will be used exclusively by Barfield Farms. Joining this exceptional bull will be one of the year's top sale offerings. The morning purebred sale will feature about 15 herd sires and herd sire prospects. Included will be four or five proven three-year-old bulls and about 10 top yearling "U" bulls. These young bulls represent the breeding of the most highly tested, proven herd sires in the breed. Bulls sired by such proven bulls as "Grand Champ", "Big Top", "Warpaint", "Garza", "King", "Medicine Man", "King, Jr.", and others will sell. These young bulls represent the top end of a group of 100 yearling bulls that gained 8.92 pounds a day on high roughage feed test.

The purebred female offering includes 25 three-in-one packages, representing the breeding and influence of these same outstanding bulls. Some exceptional young herd sire prospects sell at the side of cows bred back to Barfield herd sires. Seventeen females bred to leading Barfield herd sires sell, along with seven open heifers carrying the same breeding.

The commercial sale which begins at 2 p.m., features 50 gain tested, fertility tested proven bulls. Several "U" classified bulls will be included. They're from the same group of bulls that gained 8.92 pounds a day on test. In addition, a top set of 20 first cross Beefmaster heifers will be sold. The sale is managed by The Cattle Marketing Group and Gerald Bowls is the auctioneer. Headquarters is the Sheraton Inn, Ft. Myers, Florida. For more information, catalogs, or reservations, contact The Cattle Marketing Group, 8500 Village Drive, 8500 Building — Suite 108, San Antonio, Texas 78217, (512) 656-2875; or Fred Barfield or Travis Wise, Barfield Farms, P. O. Box 856, Immokalee, Florida 33904, (813) 857-8611.

Florida Cattle

Winter Park, Aug. 25 (F-S) — Receipts at 21 markets 20,400. Slaughter steers and heifers poorly tested, cows and bulls averaged about steady, with Thursday sales largely 2.00-2.50 higher. Slaughter calves and vealers uneven, generally steady to 2.00 lower. Feeder steers steady to 3.00 higher except good and choice under 300 lbs. mostly 4.00-5.00 higher and standard steady to 2.00 lower. Feeder heifers mostly steady to 1.00 higher with 150-300 lb. weights often 2.00-5.00 higher. Replacement cows steady to 1.00 higher. Feeder steers choice 150-200 lbs. 80.00-106.00, 200-300 lbs. 70.00-85.00, 300-400 lbs. 60.00-78.00, 400-500 lbs. 50.00-67.00, 500-600 lbs. 45.00-64.00, 600-800 lbs. 50.00-58.00. Good 150-200 lbs. 65.00-90.00, 200-300 lbs. 60.00-78.00, 300-400 lbs. 55.00-69.00, 400-500 lbs. 52.00-62.00, 500-700 lbs. 50.00-68.00.

Harry English Red Brahman Sale Set Sept. 9, Lufkin

Lufkin, Texas — Harry L. English, Red Brahman Production "Plus" sale will be held Saturday, Sept. 9, 1978, beginning at 12:30 p.m. at Quality Cattle Service on Highway 59 at Lufkin. Selling will be cattle which produced "our best calf crop ever," said English. Included will be 85 proven producing cows, the ones the English herd is built on, many pairs and three-in-ones with an average age of seven years with the best calves at side English has ever had; 25 18 to 24 month old heifers, mostly bred, a top quality, one brand group; 15 yearling heifers, many just right for fall breeding; and 3 proven, quality herd sires, 1/434Y, a son of 451Y, 1/510Y by 846Y, and 770MC, one of the top sons of 882Y. The cattle can be seen at the ranch before Sept. 1.

Texas, 214/537-4162 or Richard McRae, Mt. Pleasant, Texas 214/572-7574.

Sale headquarters will be the Holiday Inn at Lufkin, phone 214/453-5555. For further information contact Harry L. English, P. O. Box 1382, Lufkin, Texas 75901 or 713/634-9676. Remember when grass was something people mowed, not smoked.

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 - 86 Three-In-One Packages, With Some Tremendous Bull and Heifer Calves at Side.
 - 17 Bred Heifers Carrying The Services of Barfield Herd Sires.
 - 7 Open Heifers

And in the afternoon Commercial Sale

- 50 Outstanding Bulls, Including Several "U" Bulls.
- 80 First Cross Beefmaster Heifers.

Sale held at Barfield's Purebred Headquarters, Highway 89, 15 miles North of Immokalee. Breakfast and lunch served at sale site. Sheraton Inn, Ft. Myers, Headquarters. Gerald Bowls, Auctioneer.

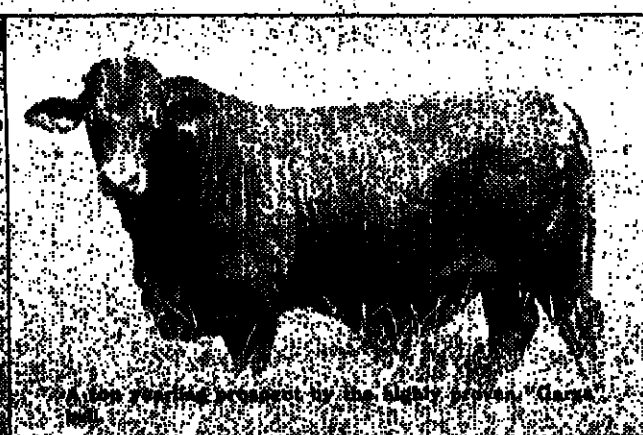
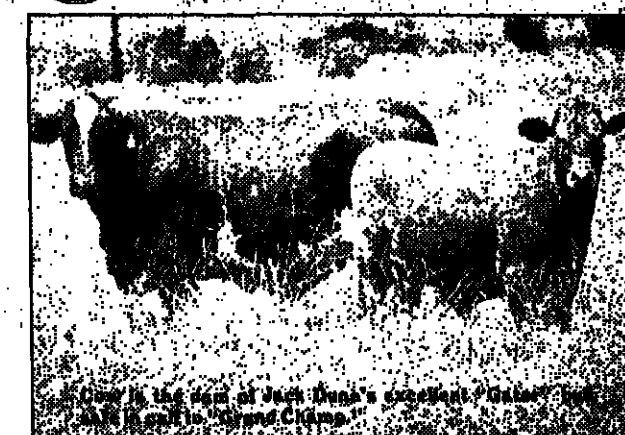
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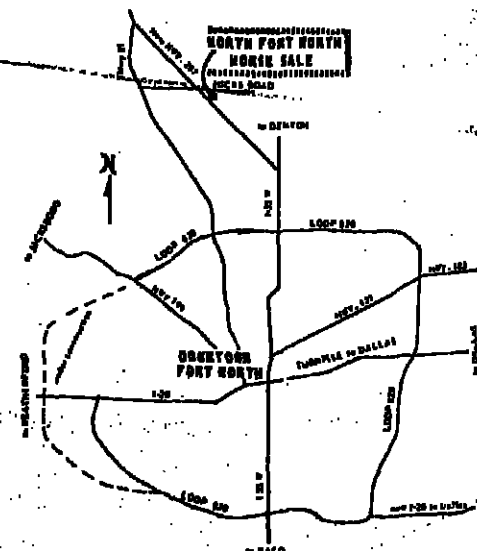
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Okcchobee L/S
Market Contract
Board Sale Set

Okcchobee, Fla. — Okcchobee
Livestock Market has announced a
Contract Board Sale to be held
September 12, 1978. Sale time is
3:00 p.m. at the Okcchobee Live-
stock Market facility.

Selling will be two lots with de-
livery weight at 400 lbs. and de-
livery dates September 25 thru
October 30. Consignor is Immo-
kalee Ranch.

Lot 1 will be 400 head of No. 1
crossbred steers and Lot No. 2 will
be 800 head of No. 1 Okies (Blacks,
Black Baldies and Reds).

DeSoto Cattlemen
Set Fall Calf
Sale, Sept. 26

Grand Cane, La. — The 17th An-
nual DeSoto Cattlemen's Associa-
tion Feeder Calf Sale will be held
Tuesday, September 26, 1978 at
1:30 p.m. The sale will be held at
Lykes Auction Barn at Grand Cane,
La.

Selling will be over 1,000 head
in this "reputation sale based on
reputation calves."

For information on the sale of-
fering contact Bill Lyles 318/858-
3177, or Ben Johnson 318/872-3277
or write DeSoto Cattlemen's Asso-
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La. 71062.

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September 12

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Delivery Dates
Sept. 25 thru Oct. 30

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Oklahoma Brangus
Sale Set Sept. 9

At Pauls Valley

Pauls Valley, Okla. — The Okla-
homa Brangus Breeders Assn. will
conduct a production consignment
sale at the International Sales
Arena near here beginning at 1
p.m., Saturday, Sept. 9.

The offering will consist of six
prospective herd sires and 60 fe-
male lots.

A pre-sale party will be held at
the Garden Inn Motel from 7 to 10
p.m., Friday, Sept. 8.

For further information contact:
Syler Sales Management, Inc.,
Route 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas
77835, phone 713/289-4400.

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For information contact Joe
Prud'Homme, 7P Ranches, 106 Sur-
vey Trails, Tyler, Texas 75705,
res: 214/697-1607, off: 214/692-
8301, or Gerald Blanton, Manager,
214/666-3240, or the sale manage-
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McGuirk Hereford Dispersion Sept. 11 & 12, Claremore, Ok.

Claremore, Okla. — McGuirk Hereford Ranch will hold a complete cowherd dispersion on Sept. 11 and 12 at the ranch located eight miles east of Claremore on State Highway 20, then one mile south.

Selling will be 300 lots including 165 pairs with fall and spring calves at side; 75 bred heifers; 21 open heifers, 80 coming-2-year-old bulls and six herd bulls. The McGuirk Hereford feature 07 Tiberius breeding.

Featured in the sale are 07 Tiberius 45, 07 Tiberius 556, 07 Tiberius 464, 07 Tiberius 817, plus five other 07 Tiberius bulls.

For further information contact McGuirk Hereford Ranch, LeRoy McGuirk, owner; Mike Armitage, manager; John Lattimore, cow herd; or Roger Motter, herdman; Claremore, Oklahoma 74017, phone 918/341-5387.

Louisiana Simmental Sale Set Sept. 9 Near Lafayette, La.

Lafayette, La. — The Louisiana Simmental Association sale will be held Saturday, Sept. 9 beginning at 1 p.m., at Henderson's Simmental Ranch on Highway 90 just east of the airport at Lafayette.

Early nominations include five purebred bulls, two Simbrah and five percentage bulls, 10 purebred female lots; 20 three-quarters, and 40 bred halfbloods with and without calves and 12 Simbrah females.

Featured will be a 10-month-old Polled Purebred Galant grandson and three polled purebred females. All cattle in this sale are screened twice before the sale and are guaranteed in every way.

Auctioneer will be Joe Mitcham, Hubbard Texas. Sale headquarters will be the Holiday Inn South on Highway 90 East in Lafayette, La., phone 318/234-5521.

For more information contact the sale management Mid South

Palo Pinto Simmental Breeders Sale Set Sept. 23, Fort Worth

Fort Worth — The 4th annual Palo Pinto Simmental Breeders sale will be held Sept. 23 with lunch at 12 noon and the sale beginning at 1 p.m. in the Barn 6 at the Fort Worth Stock Show grounds.

Selling will be 180 lots including 100 percent bulls and cows; purebred bulls and cows, percentage cows, Simbrah bulls and cows and polled bulls and cows. Some of the featured animals include: a full-blood bull 16 months old by Salvador out of the great cow, FCM Miss Median 3 whose bull calves topped the Pan American Sale two years in a row; a fullblood Bar 5 bred cow; a purebred cow with purebred heifer calf by Togo and the cow bred back to Brutus; a polled pure-

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bred cow and heifer calf that may be polled; and the first cow to sell bred to White Oaks Farm's bull, Achilles, out of their cow which was Grand Champion at Fort Worth in 1977 and 1978.

Sale headquarters will be the Hilton Hotel in Fort Worth, where a pre-sale party will be held at 8 p.m., Friday, Sept. 22, in the Presidential Suite.

Joe Mitcham, Hubbard, will be the auctioneer. The 24 consignors to the sale are: Fred Newsome, Jerry Ray, Tom Reilly, Dick Carey, Hoyt Weaver, Bill Watson and Dale West, all of Mineral Wells; J. L. Fleming and Bill Pedigo, both of Fort Worth; Tom Stevenson, Rob Pitzer and Marvin Mack, all of Stephenville; Ed Todd, Bennie Barrett, and Bill Cody, all of Weatherford; Judge Jack Langdon, Roy Pepper and G&R Ranch, all of Granbury; Carroll Carlisle and W. R. Hartwick, both of Springtown; L. H. McDaniel, Jr. and Bob Reynolds, both of Burleson; Bob Wollard, Waco and W. H. Wyatt, God-

lev. For further information contact Dale West, President, Palo Pinto Simmental Breeders, P. O. Box 609, Mineral Wells, Texas 76067, phone 817/325-0734.

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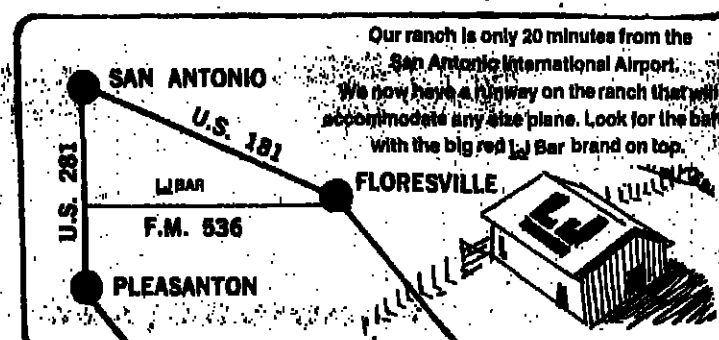
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13.8x36	6	153.95
11.2x38	4	105.48
12.4x38	4	126.40
13.8x38	4	130.56
13.8x38	6	149.52
14.5x38	6	161.31
15.5x38	6	170.91
15.5x38	8	194.40
15.5x38	8	225.42
15.5x38	8	247.31
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13.0x24	12	250.44
14.0x24	12	283.39
14.5x24	8	193.53
16.5x24	8	164.21
16.5x24	8	178.17
16.5x24	10	231.01
17.5x24	8	190.44
15.5x25 (reg)	12	354.50
16.5x28	8	203.38
18.4x28	10	272.29



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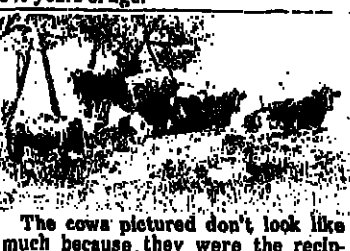
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Posed by the swimming pool in front of Walter G. Mize's fullblood Chianina ranch's office at Cleburne are two guests, David Farrington, left, and Peter Koziah, Sr., both of Fort Worth, with Walter Mize, owner, and John Foster, ranch manager. The ranch headquarters has the pool, regulation skeet and trap shooting facilities, and a large trophy room that houses Mize's vast collection of rifles and shotguns.



John Foster, manager of Walter Mize's River Hills Chianina Ranch at Cleburne, is shown with Michelangelo, one of Mize's four full-blood herd bulls. This one weighs 3000 pounds at 3 1/2 years of age.



The cows pictured don't look like much because they were the recipients which bore the fullblood ova transplant calves shown, a method by which Walter Mize has built the North American continent's largest herd of fullblood Chianinas.



These yearling heifers are typical of the quality Walter Mize is building into his fullblood Chianina herd. He sells females to other registered breeders, and bulls to registered and commercial cattlemen.



Some just-weaned Chianina heifer calves at Walter Mize's ranch. At weaning at 7 months they ranged in weight from 640 to 670 pounds.



A Chianina heifer being prepared for the next show season by Walter G. Mize Ranch.

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CHIANINA NEWS

Walter Mize Has Continent's Largest FB Chianina Herd; Is Shooting For Best

Cleburne — Walter G. Mize, owner of the River Hills Chianina Ranch near here and the Lazy M Ranch near Hico, says "The popular belief that it's impossible to make money in the cattle business today is simply not true."

"I'm doing it," he added. He is doing it with fullblood Chianinas, of which he has the largest herd in North America, more than 100 head of cows and heifers, most of which are the result of ova transplants from the finest

Chianina Bull Test Underway; Sale At San Antonio Nov. 5

Campbellton — The Southwest Region of the American Chianina Assn. has 34 three-quarter and four purebred Chianina bulls on a performance test at the Seventy-Four Ranch managed by L. W. Moore, Jr., near here that were doing so well through the first 30-day weighing that nobody would believe us if we told them," said Britt Kennard, Austin, test chairman and president of Texas Chianina Assn.

The four purebred bulls posted gains of 5.33, 5.33, 5.50 and 5.66 pounds. The 38 bulls had a gain ratio of 1:7.04 on a ration of half hay.

The test began June 25 and will end Oct. 25, and will be followed by a sale of the performance tested bulls on Nov. 5 in Joe Freeman Coliseum at San Antonio. That sale will be at 1:30 p.m. following a membership meeting of the association at 9:00 a.m. that day.

Topics slated for discussion in the meeting are next year's bull test and preparations for the Southwest Region Chianina Female Sale at Houston's Livestock Show in 1979.

Rose Classic Quarter Horse Sale Sept. 17 In San Antonio

San Antonio — The San Antonio Rose Classic Quarter Horse Sale will be held in Joe Freeman Coliseum here on Sunday, Sept. 17 at 12 noon.

This prestigious event will feature 150 Quarter Horses from all over the U. S., making available some of the top horses in performance, halter, and racing including several nationally-known horses already consigned.

Sale cost will be \$100 entrance fee to cover proper promotion of the sale and horses; plus five percent of the sale price. Entry forms may be obtained from "Rose Classic," P. O. Box 1053, Fort Worth, Texas 76101. For information and catalogs contact the sale management, Mike Hughes, Dallas, Texas, 214/298-5306 or 298-5036; or Ruben Reyes, San Antonio, Texas 78216, phone 512/849-2185.

Quarter Horse Sale At State Fair In Dallas Oct. 12

Dallas — The John Carille Co. of Amarillo will conduct the second annual State Fair of Texas Quarter Horse Sale on Thursday, Oct. 12, in the Pan-American arena at the Dallas Fair.

The sale will be held in conjunction with the State Fair of Texas Quarter Horse Show which is being held during the Nation's largest annual exposition.

The sale will be limited to 100 head of top quality Quarter Horses. For consigning horses in Sept. 1, contact John Carille Co., P. O. Box 2111, Amarillo, Texas 79101; phone 806/872-1772.

Chianina females and bulls he could find in Europe, Canada and the U. S. and with some of the best fullblood Chianina bulls in the country.

Mize explains that despite the belief that the high price of land, interest, taxes, labor, feed, equipment, and operating expenses makes a profit impossible in the cattle business, a profit can be made.

"First you have to have cattle that do the best job of converting feed into beef, that will grade choice and will yield a high percentage of salable meat," he says. "Conversion, grade and yield are three areas in which Chianina excels. Any breed that does not excel in all three traits simply won't get the job done."

Mize says, "A herd of 240 head of fullblood cows can reasonably be expected to produce and wean at least 220 calves a year. After keeping replacements you'll have at least 160 head to sell at prices ranging from \$3000 to \$10,000, and the average in recent sales has been around \$6000 a head."

"Multiply it out and you've got a money-making figure," he says. Mize is shooting for a herd of about 800 of the finest fullbloods that money can buy, or ova transplant can produce. To get the best he has paid up to \$25,000 for a bull, Michelangelo, and \$150,000 for three heifers.

Mize has 1650 acres of land at Cleburne and 844 acres at Hico, and at one time had other places leased, which enabled him to run 800 cows, but he cut back the operation to concentrate on building the fullblood Chianina herd. At one time he owned half of all fullblood Chianina in the North American Continent, three heifers. The other three fullbloods were bulls in Canada and the U. S.

Mize, and his ranch manager, John Foster, intend to vigorously cultivate the demand for their fullblood Chianina. Because of the numbers involved, both bulls and females will be sold. His main selling goals will be divided equally between other Chianina breeders and commercial cattlemen. "We're producing fullbloods that will add something to any registered Chianina herd's quality, and our bulls sold to commercial cattlemen have proven that they will add 160 to 200 pounds to the weaning weight of calves from any kind of commercial cows," he said.

Chianina bulls are vigorous breeders, and regularly breed up to 60 cows each season.

"If the fullblood bull costs a commercial man \$8000, he'll pay for himself the first year, by adding 12,000 pounds to the total weaning weight of his calves — and at 60 to 65 cents per pound that makes the bull pay for himself the first year," he says.

In the first of his three economic trails — feed conversion — Mize points out that one of his bulls, Leonardo, gained five pounds a day on 30 pounds of feed, a conversion ratio of 1:6, at 18 to 20 months of age. Other bulls on official feed tests recently have gained well over four pounds a day at conversion ratios as low as a pound of gain to 5.27 pounds of feed.

Mize fed out a Chianina steer 1385 pounds that yielded 69 percent when slaughtered, and graded choice.

Mize not only is a leader in Chianina ranks as owner of the biggest fullblood herd in North America, but has been a leader in the breed organizations too, having served as chairman of the board of the International Chianina Assn. two years on the board of directors of the national Chianina Assn., and two years as president of Southwest Region of the American Chianina Assn.

"To be successful in the cattle business, you must have the largest herd, the highest quality, which I'm shooting for now, and cattle that do the job of conversion, grading and yielding," he concludes.

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Rate of gain is important — and Chianina bulls have proven they are fast gainers: One recently broke all the average daily gain records at Noble Foundation at Ardmore, Okla., with 4.79 lbs. ADG. Another topped the 140-day test completed July 12 at Cooke County College with 4.61 lbs. ADG, AND did it with the best feed conversion ratio of all bulls in that test, one pound of gain for each 5.27 pounds of feed.

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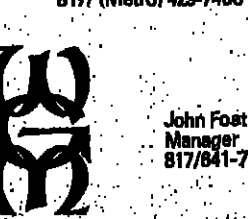
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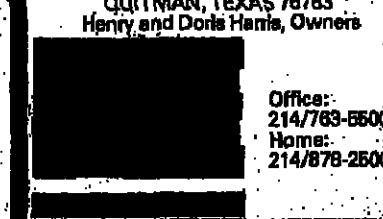
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MAINE-ANJOU NEWS



Part of the crowd of 250 persons who attended the Texas Maine-Anjou Field Day at Rhone Ranch, Coleman, Aug. 12, is shown above.

TMAA Field Day At Rhone Bros. Ranch Highly Successful

Coleman, Texas — The Rhone Bros. Maine-Anjou Ranch near here was host to 250 persons at the Texas Maine-Anjou Association's field day Aug. 12. The guests participated in a weight guessing contest won by Alan Rodgers, 16, of Blanket, who was awarded a \$50 bill. He guessed within five pounds of the weight of three heifers born May 1 and weighed a total of 8520 pounds. Two other juniors, Tamarah Golsen, 14, from Burkett, missed only eight pounds, and Sherry Craig, 13, from Waxahatche, missed 14 pounds. Heston McBride, Bluffton, spoke on the contributions Maine-Anjous are making in increased beef production through crossbreeding in commercial herds, and selection of club calf show prospects. His children, or calves he raised, have won every major livestock steer show in the Southwest. Dr. Jim Wiltbank, Beef Production Specialist with Texas A & M at Beeville, spoke on the importance of conditioning females before and after calving, and demonstrated measuring the pelvic area of heifers to predict calving ease. A set of Rhone heifers measured ranged in pelvic area from 214 to 380 square centimeters. Dr. Wiltbank said the normal standard for cows is 180 square centimeters. Another speaker was John Schuessler, director of advertising and sales for the Maine-Anjou Mark at Kansas

Field Day at Rhone Ranch, Coleman, Aug. 12, is shown above. City and a partner in Mark II Council, Ltd., a sales organization, spoke on the importance of promotion of the Maine-Anjou breed. Oliver Calk of Coleman won a \$50 bill awarded as a door prize. Rhone Ranch donated the \$50. Paul Leonard III, Fort Worth, president of TMAA, reported the association is in the process of putting together a state membership directory of current active and junior members. "Remember, we have the largest state association, the finest breeders and year after year, without fail, the best marketplace for Maine-Anjou cattle in the United States," Leonard said. Other speakers included Roger Blackmon, Coleman county agent; and Calvin Fryar, Brownwood, past president of both Texas and American Maine-Anjou associations, and currently Region IV director on the national executive committee.

1st National Maine-Anjou Junior Heifer Show

The American Maine-Anjou Association proudly announces the sponsorship of its first National Junior Heifer Show. The show will be held in conjunction with the American Royal, November 12, in Kansas City, Missouri. Joe Lewis of the Allalla Lawn Farms, Lawrence, Kansas — longtime cattleman and judge — will be doing the official placing. \$3,000 in premiums and awards will be offered to the outstanding heifers. The show is open to exhibitors hold-

Don Rhone, at mike, is shown presenting a \$50 bill to Alan Rodgers, left, a 16-year-old Texas Junior Maine-Anjou Assn. member from Blanket, for guessing closest — within five pounds of the weight of three Maine-Anjou heifers. Other close guesses were turned in by Tamarah Golsen, 14, from Burkett, who missed only eight pounds; and Sherry Craig, right, 13, from Waxahatche, who missed 14 pounds.

ing Junior membership in the American Maine-Anjou Association. Eligible heifers must have been born after January 1, 1977, be at least one-half blood Maine-Anjou, and be wholly owned by the exhibitor no later than September 1, 1978. Entry blanks may be obtained by writing the American Royal, Livestock Dept., 1701 American Royal Court, Kansas City, MO 64104. Upon completion of the form, return with an entry fee of \$10.00 to the American Maine-Anjou Association, 584 Livestock Exchange Bldg., Kansas City, MO 64102. Deadline for all entries is September 1, 1978.

East Texas Auctions

East Texas markets at Sulphur Springs, Corsicana, Madisonville, and Terrell, Aug. 21-24 (F-S) — Receipts 6900. Slaughter calves and yearlings 1.00-1.50 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter bulls advanced 1.00-2.00 higher. Feeder cattle and calves moved in active trade fully steady to strong. Replacement cows and cow/calf pairs mostly steady. Run 31 percent slaughter classes. Remember when U.S. Grant was a president's name, not a federal handout.

National Western Show to be Showcase For Maine-Anjou Bulls

Plans have been formalized by the American Maine-Anjou Association for a bull show and sale at the National Western Livestock Show upcoming in Denver, Colorado. The show and sale will be conducted January 12, 1979, with Mark II Council, Ltd., being the sale manager. Jerry Adamson of Cody, Nebraska, will be officiating. Jerry is a prominent cattle judge and is considered to be an expert in the commercial cow-calf field. Details on participation are to be announced.

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Heston McBride, standing, of Bluffton, whose children and calves he produced and sold to others, have won every major steer show in the Southwest, spoke on crossbreeding and club calf selection at the Texas Maine-Anjou field day at Rhone Ranch, Coleman, Aug. 12. Paul Leonard, III, Fort Worth, president of the Texas association is seated on the stand.



Dr. Jim Wiltbank, Beef Production Specialist from Texas A & M's station at Beeville, is shown talking on "Conditioning of Females Before and After Calving," at the Texas Maine-Anjou Association Field Day at Rhone Bros. Ranch near Coleman Aug. 12. He later explained and demonstrated measuring the pelvic area of heifers to predict calving ease.

Nor-Tex Farms Top Buyer in Canadian Maine-Anjou Sale

Red Deer, Alta., Canada — Valley Home Farms, Invermay, Alta., showed BCS line 1445 to the grand champion bull honors, and Jolietta, a 4-year-old cow from Shand Farms, Estevan, Sask., was champion female in the Sixth Annual World Maine-Anjou Show and Sale here recently.

Maine-Anjou Sale Set Oct. 7 In Waco Fairgrounds

Waco — The Texas Maine-Anjou Association will hold a consignment sale in the Red Barn on the Heart of Texas Fairgrounds here Oct. 7 at 8 p.m., according to John Rogers, Waco, sale chairman. Rogers said the offering of 70 lots will include fullblood bulls and bred heifers; purebreds; bred and open three-quarters; and bred half-bloods. Also available will be Brahmanes and registered Black Maines.

Sale headquarters will be the Quality Inn West 4801 W. Waco Drive, phone 817/772-7830. A pre-sale party will be held at the sale

Solomon Polled Maine-Anjou Dispersal, Sept. 17

Bryan, Texas — Dan Solomon's Maine-Anjou Polled Spectacular Dispersal Sale will be held Sunday, September 17, 1978 at 2:00 p.m. in site beginning at 6 p.m. Oct. 7. Paul Leonard III, Fort Worth, president of the association, said "This will be the finest offering of Maine-Anjous ever put together for a sale because the breed is older and the quality has constantly improved." For further information contact John Rogers, Sale Chairman, Waco, Texas, phone 817/753-8712, or Paul Leonard III, President of TMAA, Fort Worth, phone 817/335-4281.

the Brazos County Sale Pavilion here. Selling will be 80 lots including a Polled purebred bull, 2 years old, 2 fullblood breeding age bulls by Cunic and Touchdown, 1 fullblood bred heifer by Touchdown bred to the Cunic son, and 6 purebred heifers (4 bred — 2 open). Also selling will be 7/8 pairs rebred to the Polled bull Valiant, bred 3/4 bloods, open 3/4 blood heifers, half-bloods with 3/4 blood calves, bred halfbloods, halfblood bred and open heifers and percentage steers. Sale headquarters will be the Holiday Inn, Bryan, Texas, 713/822-8151. Auctioneer will be Stanley Skott. For information contact Dan Solomon, Rt. 1, Box 93A, Belias, Texas, 713/874-2350, or Mark II Council, P. O. Box 5746, Kansas City, Mo. 64102, 816/421-5978.

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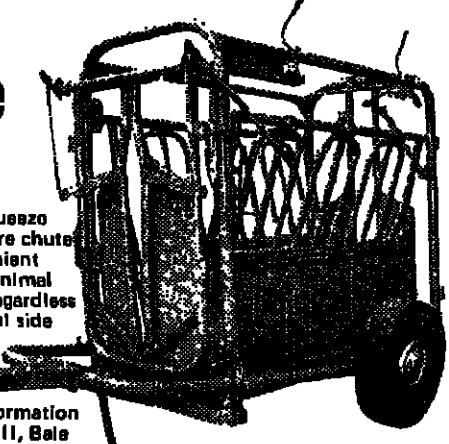
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Shorthorn Lassies Meeting Reported

By Mrs. J. O. Bass III

Miss Christine Williams of Wylie was crowned Texas Shorthorn Lassie Queen during the state field day and annual meeting June 10 at Lott, Texas. In 1977 she served as Texas Lassie Princess. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams was crowned by 1977 Texas Shorthorn Lassie Queen Sherri Brooks. Christine has a brother and two sisters.

Miss Williams has been showing Shorthorns for three years. She owns three cows. She has held the offices of reporter, secretary, and vice-president of her local 4-H club. The Wylie High School Junior has been in P. P. A. two years and is chapter reporter. Miss Williams was a cheerleader her freshman year, has been on the student council the last two years, and plays summer league basketball. Her hobbies include riding horses, showing cattle, swimming, and skiing.

The new Lassie Queen will be promoting Shorthorns across the state by presenting ribbons and awards at fairs and shows, and visiting with the public about the English breed of cattle. The red Scottish kilt in Royal Stuart plaid make the Shorthorn breeder's official representative easily identifiable at livestock shows.

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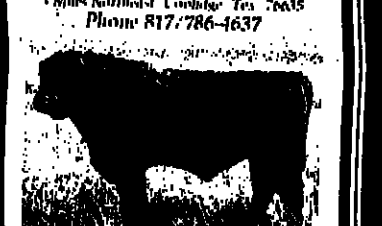
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